

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

BUDGET
Senator Alexander, Chair
Senator Negrón, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 22, 2011**TIME:** 10:15 a.m.—12:15 p.m.**PLACE:** Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator Negrón, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Benacquisto, Bogdanoff, Fasano, Flores, Gaetz, Hays, Joyner, Lynn, Margolis, Montford, Rich, Richter, Simmons, Siplin, Sobel, Thrasher, and Wise

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/CS/SB 408 Budget Subcommittee on General Government Appropriations / Banking and Insurance / Richter (Similar H 803, Compare H 707, H 4115, CS/S 858, S 1462)	Property and Casualty Insurance; Revises the definition of "losses," relating to the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund, to exclude certain losses. Revises the amount of surplus funds required for domestic insurers applying for a certificate of authority after a certain date. Authorizes the Office of Insurance Regulation to reduce the surplus requirement under specified circumstances. Authorizes the office to disapprove a rate filing because the coverage is inadequate or the insurer charges a higher premium due to certain discriminatory factors, etc. BI 01/25/2011 BI 02/07/2011 Temporarily Postponed BI 02/22/2011 Fav/CS BGA 03/11/2011 Fav/CS BC 03/15/2011 BC 03/22/2011 Fav/2 Amendments RC	Fav/2 Amendments (749848, 901222) Yeas 12 Nays 8
2	CS/SB 94 Health Regulation / Gaetz (Identical H 199, Compare S 1972)	Blood Establishments; Redefines "blood establishment" and defines "volunteer donor." Prohibits local governments from restricting access to public facilities or infrastructure for certain activities based on whether a blood establishment is operating as a for-profit organization or not-for-profit organization. Authorizes the Department of Legal Affairs to assess a civil penalty against a blood establishment that fails to disclose specified information on the Internet, etc. HR 01/11/2011 Fav/CS CA 02/08/2011 Favorable BHA 03/15/2011 Favorable BC 03/22/2011 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 20 Nays 0

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3	CS/CS/SB 170 Budget Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations / Judiciary / Bennett (Compare H 443)	Electronic Filing and Receipt of Court Documents; Requires each state attorney and public defender to electronically file court documents with the clerk of the court and receive court documents from the clerk of the court. Requires that the Florida Prosecuting Attorneys Association and the Florida Public Defender Association report to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by a specified date on the progress made to use the Florida Courts E-Portal system or the clerks' offices portals to electronically file and receive court documents, etc. JU 02/08/2011 Fav/CS BJA 03/17/2011 Fav/CS BC 03/22/2011 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 20 Nays 0
4	CS/SB 618 Criminal Justice / Evers (Compare H 1233, H 4157, S 1850)	Juvenile Justice; Repeals provisions relating to legislative intent for serious or habitual juvenile offenders in the juvenile justice system, definitions of terms for a training school and the serious or habitual juvenile offender program, the serious or habitual juvenile offender program in the juvenile justice system, the intensive residential treatment program for offenders less than 13 year of age, and the designation of persons holding law enforcement certification within the Office of the Inspector General to act as law enforcement officers, etc. CJ 03/09/2011 Fav/CS BJA 03/17/2011 Favorable BC 03/22/2011 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 782 Transportation / Latvala (Compare CS/H 601)	Fallen Officers Memorial/Road Designations; Designates the Sgt. Thomas J. Baitinger, Officer Jeffrey A. Yaslowitz, and Officer David S. Crawford Memorial Highway in Pinellas County. Designates the Officer Jeffrey A. Kocab and Officer David J. Curtis Memorial Highway in Hillsborough County. TR 02/22/2011 Fav/CS BTA 03/17/2011 Favorable BC 03/22/2011 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 20 Nays 0